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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE
DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Formalities Letter dated February 22, 2001 for three(3) month(s) from April 22, 2001 to July 22, 2001. Enclosed are copies of the post card, cover letter, PTO Formalities Letter and the executed Declaration which were filed on May 31, 2001.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0750/MCP-0271/SHH in the name of Johnson & Johnson for the cost of filing this Petition. Three copies of this Petition are enclosed.

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